

# Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

Athletic Trainers Section November 22, 2019 9:00 a.m.

#### **Members Present**

Trevor Bates, AT, Chair Gary Lake, AT Jeffrey Sczpanski, AT

# **Legal Counsel**

Emily Pelphrey, AAG

#### Staff

Jeffrey Duvall, Enforcement Division Supervisor Jennifer Adams, Investigator Melissa Anthony, Executive Director Jaklyn Shucofsky, Licensure Specialist Jan Hills, Executive Assistant

#### Guests

Bridget McAuliffe, OATA Gerald Rishel, OATA

#### Call to Order

Trevor Bates, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:01 AM.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

<u>Action:</u> Gary Lake moved that the minutes from the September 12, 2019 meeting be approved as submitted. Jeffrey Sczpanski seconded the motion. The motion carried.

# **Executive Director Report**

- The Executive Director reported an eLicense change of adding county of residence data to licensure form.
- The Executive Director reported on the Governor's Working Group on the Medical Boards.
- Enforcement staff will go through trauma informed care training via CLEAR.
- Waiting on conclusion of biennial audit by Auditor of State.
- Executive Director reported that OTPTAT board was finishing up OTA and PT audits. PTA audits will begin
  in early February.
- The Executive Director gave the fiscal report for the July-October period.
- The Executive Director provided a brief legislative report.
- All board members must take Ethics by end of year 2019. Sexual Harassment and Disability training by April 2020.
- Discussion of need to clarify reporting of CEUs for BOC and OTPTAT. To mitigate confusion in CEU reporting for both places a reminder of CEU's will be included in OATA's communications.

# **Discussion of Laws and Rules**

2020 five-year review

TOEFL requirement. The section decided not to institute a Test of English as a Foreign Language requirement at this time.

Jeff Sczpanski made a motion to file the 3D printing of prosthetics rule with the Common Sense Initiative. Gary Lake seconded the motion . Motion passed.

### **Administrative Reports**

Jeffrey Sczpanski moved that the Athletic Trainers Section ratify, as submitted, the athletic training licenses issued by examination, endorsement, and reinstatement by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from September 13, 2019, through November 22, 2019, taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal.

# **Licensure Applications**

Athletic Trainer by Examination

Alex ArnoldCadey JoyceAnn ColeGregory Chester GawelMakayla Marie BlackIsaac CosculluelaKarlyn M MorellNicolette Tezzie Campbell-Megan Faith DevolAlexander David Shetler

Muriente Kaitlin Eileen Evans Alexander David Shetler Kaitlyn Elizabeth Tirpak

Athletic Trainer by Endorsement

Sarah Marie Abelseth Jameel Mikal Moksa Battle Tyler Shumake
Brandy Crouse Timothy M Murray Victoria Stupecki
Anna Mary Duffrin Sally Ann Paulson Bradley Michael Watson

Erica Franz Levi Ronald Roberts

Jeff Sczpanski made a motion to recommend the Section grant the application withdrawal request for AT examination/endorsement/reinstatement applications on file with the Board on November 22, 2019, based on the documentation provided. Gary Lake seconded the motion. Motion passed.

#### Adjudication

**Enforcement Report** 

Jeffrey Sczpanski reported the enforcement review panel had:

- New" cases opened since the last meeting: 1
- Cases "closed" at the last meeting: 0
- Cases "currently open": 1
- Active consent agreements: 1
- Adjudication orders being monitored: 1

#### Consent Agreement

Jeffrey Sczpanski reported that Bobbi Brkovic was being released from her consent agreement.

#### **Assistant Attorney General Report**

Emily Pelphrey, AAG had no formal report for the Section.

#### **Old Business**

Documentation - Proper documentation procedures for scope of practice- FYI refresher for professionals and posting on OTPTAT website.

Telehealth – The section had a discussion on telehealth.

#### **New Business**

California licensure act

The section had a discussion on the California licensure act and took no action.

# Correspondence

The Section discussed the correspondence.

### **Ohio Athletic Trainers Association (OATA)**

Bridget McAuliffe with OATA made a formal report to the section.

# **Next Meeting Date**

The next regular meeting date of the Athletic Trainers Section is scheduled for Thursday., January 16, 2020.

<u>Adjournment</u>
There being no further business and no objections, Trevor Bates adjourned the meeting at 10:58 AM.

Respectfully submitted, Jan Hills

Trevor Bates, AT, Chair Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, Athletic Trainers Section

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Melissa Anthony, Executive Director Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

**VACANT** 

Vacant, Secretary Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, Athletic Trainers Section